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## THANKSGIVING SERMON

By Rev. G. A. Joplin, of the First Presbyterian Church, Thursday, November 29, 1900.

Psalm 97:1: "The Lord reigneth, let the earth rejoice."

After an abundant harvest has crowned the toil of spring, it is meet that we offer thanks to our God. And we are accustomed at this season of the year to assemble ourselves together in our various places of worship, in obedience to the proclamation of the Chief Magistrate of the United States, and in accordance with the growing custom of many years, to return our thanks for all the blessings that have crowned the year. Thanksgiving Day is peculiarly an American institution, and who of us are not thankful that we live in America; the greatest country that has ever existed; we glory in all that goes to make it a free country, and that gives to man his full liberties. We rejoice in our history, surely if any people in the world have had evidence that God's hand is in their history, we are that people. From the very discovery of America down to the present day we can trace the hand of our God in making this land what it is. With the three great nations, England, France and Spain contending for this country, and each desirous of planting here the religion of Catholicism, with all of its superstitions and ignorance, can any one doubt that it was the hand of God that led a little company of believers, through persecution, to fly from England to Holland, and a few years later, though few in number and poor in this world's goods, yet rich in faith, to come to this new country? The story of their coming is familiar to us all. We can see them as half their number, all that could afford to come, were about to set sail in the little Mayflower; on the shore they are gathered, and their good pastor, John Robinson, kneels with them as they are about to commit themselves to the care of their God as they sailed away to an almost unknown world, going that they might there unmolested worship God. Out upon the great, deep ocean we see the little vessel toiling amid many storms, until at last land is sighted:

"The breaking waves dashed high  
On a stern and rock-bound coast,  
And the waves against a stormy sky  
Their giant branches tossed;  
And the heavy night had dark  
The hills and waters o'er,  
When a band of exiles moored their bark  
On the wild New England shore.  
Not as the conquerors came,  
They, the true hearted, came,  
Not with the roll of the stirring drums,  
And the trumpet that sings of faue;

Not as the flying come,  
In silence and in fear—  
They shook the depths of the desert gloom  
With their hymns of lofty cheer.  
Amidst the storm they sang,  
And the stars heard, and the sea;  
And the sounding ailes of the dim woods  
rang  
To the anthem of the free.

The ocean eagle soared  
From his nest by the white wave's foam,  
And the rocking pines of the forest  
roared—  
This was their welcome home.  
There were men with hoary hair  
Amidst that pilgrim-band;  
Why had they come to wither there,  
Away from their childhood's land?  
There was a woman's fearless eye,  
Lit by her deep love's truth;  
There was manhood's brow serenely hild,  
And the fiery heart of youth.

What sought they thus afar?  
Bright jewels of the mine?  
The wealth of seas, the spoils of war?  
—They sought a faith's pure shrine.  
Ah, call it holy ground,  
The soil where first they trod;  
They have left unstained what there

They found.—  
Freedom to worship God."

After the first harvest had been gathered in they sent out fowlers to procure venison and wild turkeys, and their first Governor issued a proclamation "That so they might, after a special manner, rejoice together, after they had gathered in the fruits of their labors." So here a few hundred people, who had faith in God began to build a nation for Him. Through many trials and struggles they had to fight their way. Contests with the Mother country from abroad, and wars with the Indians at home. Surely with such conditions they were laying the foundation for a great and mighty nation. Can any sensible man believe that it was a blind Fate, or a mere chance, the plan of man, or the power of the greatest autocrat that has ever lived? No; no: It was the hand of our God. These early settlers of our country recognized no title to nobility but the favor of their God. "To know Him, to serve Him, to enjoy Him, was with them the great end of existence." Their homes at first were but rude huts, but their palaces were houses not made with hands; their diamonds crowns of glory which should never fade away. At one time the little New England colony was so reduced in food that there remained only six grains of corn for each individual, but their faith did not fall them, and when the ship arrived from England bringing them supplies, they recognized it as from God, and a Thanksgiving Day was proclaimed. There was no day set apart and observed at that time, but whenever the people felt the helping hand of God a special Thanksgiving Day was called. But out of this custom in time grew the annual Thanksgiving Day, which now forms part of our national life. This country has become what it is by the right use of God given means. Our ancestors did not sit idly down and expect that God would protect them; they believed that God had appointed unto each man his work, so they worked with a will, and gave God the praise and glory.

This year, in his proclamation, the President calls upon us to thank God. "He has brought our nation in safety and honor through another year. That the works of religion and charity have everywhere been manifest. That our country through all its extent has been blessed with abundant harvests. That labor and the great industries of the people have prospered beyond all precedent. That our commerce has spread over the world. That out power and influence in the cause of freedom and enlightenment have extended over distant seas and lands."

We have received great blessings from the past, the present is ours, and the future is largely what we make it. We ought to be ashamed of ourselves to-day if we are not thankful for all temporal blessings. For the comforts of home, for the sweet fellowship of loved ones, for peace and health and strength we thank the God and Father of us all. For the goodness and mercy that have followed us all the days of our lives we bless and praise His holy name. But I desire to-day to lead your thoughts to something higher than these outward and material gifts—though we have never been thankful enough, nor recognized the countless number of our mercies. Back of these good gifts, there lies the cause of gratitude by which these outward mercies are assured, and from which they flow. "The Lord reigneth, therefore let the earth rejoice." The ultimate ground for all grati-

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tude to the true Christian must be that God rules and reigns—that his wisdom guides and his love controls all the events of this earthly life. Into some families trouble has come, upon some lives darkness has fallen; from some health has been taken; debt and loss and disappointment dwell in some homes, but if we once accept as the ground of our thanksgiving the truth of the text, "The Lord Reigneth, then we can keep the thanks giving in our hearts fresh, though outward things fail. The old prophet Habakkuk had learned the secret of thanksgiving, when in faith he could say: "Although the fig tree shall not blossom, neither shall fruit be in the vines, the labor of the olives shall fail, and the fields shall yield no meat, the flock shall be cut off from the fold, and there shall be no herd in the stall, yet will I rejoice in the Lord; I will joy in the God of my salvation." The highest rejoicing is rejoicing in the Lord. This is what the great Apostle to the Gentiles calls upon us to do. The surest way for any of us to give thanks acceptably is for us to be true in the Lord that we can be grateful that He reigneth. Then, whether the fields be fruitful or barren, whether there come sunshine or shadow, seeming weal or seeming woe, if we are only sure that the Lord reigneth, all things must work together for good to them that love Him. Nothing can come to pass that will surprise Him; nothing evil can go beyond His permission. He rules; He must rule wisely and well. It simply cannot be otherwise. The least incident that befalls the obscurest saint is as much His mission, and as completely beneath the control of God, as is the flight of an angel or the preaching of an Apostle.

When troubles and sorrows and disappointments come, we are not to suppose that God is unmindful, or that He has ceased to love. Rather let us hold fast to the comfort that God is our Father, and all things must therefore work together for our good and His glory. If we believe there is a God, we must believe that He rules in little things. If God does not rule and reign in little things—the least incidents that befall a believer—God does not rule and reign at all. While I use means wherever Christianity and common sense teach me to use means, while I seek to observe the laws of health, and to preserve my life, and avoid needless peril, yet I am just as sure as I am of my existence now, that I am immortal until I have finished the work God has for me to do. While I do not fold my hands and sit down for the ravens sent from God to feed me, I am sure that if I serve Him with all my heart, I shall never want for any good thing. If we trust Him with all our heart, and lean not unto our own understanding, but in all our ways acknowledge Him, is it not His sure promise that He will direct our path? It is not accident that sometimes the droughts come, or the flood or cyclone destroy, or our fondest hopes fail of realization; these things come that men may more fully learn their dependence upon Him.

God has been ruling ever since the world had a being. God is in history, and all history has its unity because God reigns. If God has governed this world in wisdom and love through all the generations of men, is there any reason to believe that He will cease to do so during the little day that we are here? There is nothing which will bring that peace and contentment of heart from which all gratitude springs so surely as the full belief that God reigns, not only in Heaven, but on earth; that all events are under His control. Let Christians to-day

give praise and thanksgiving that the Lord reigneth. That makes the present and the future secure. Let Christians trust and not be afraid. God reigns, and his purposes will not fail. All things aid them; all things ultimately fulfill them. His wisdom is over all; His love never ceases. He neither slumbers nor sleeps. The Lord reigneth, let the earth rejoice.

"We dare not weep the waning year,  
We dare not hail the new,  
For vain alike are smile and tear,  
And blent the shadows are with cheer,  
As past the frostbite and the fear  
The gladness struggles through;  
But this one truth we surely hold,  
God rules all years, the new, the old.

The Past, which brought us so much pain,  
Brought, too, the cure for ill;  
The Future dimly gleams, in vain  
Our steps we urge, our eyes we strain.  
As slowly in unshattering train  
The days their course fulfil,  
And each to each these tidings tell—  
God rules the years, and all is well.

Brave and content, then, come what may,  
We face what time may send,  
Life cannot be all holiday  
And love and hope alike decay.  
And disappointments bar the way  
Sometimes until the end,  
But we can bear all, knowing this—  
God rules the years, and we are His."

Birth-marks which mark and mar the outside of the body are a grief to every mother whose children may bear them. But for every child who bears a birth-mark on the skin there are many who bear an invisible birth-mark on the mind. Nervous mothers have nervous children and many a man and woman owes an irritable and dependent temperance to those days of dread when the mother waited the hour of her maternity. The use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription thus touches the mother for her trial. With strength comes a buoyancy of spirits and quickness of mind when is one of the happiest girls a mother can bestow on her offspring. B. giving vigor and elasticity to the delicate womanly organs. "Favorite Prescription" practically does away with the pain of menstruation and makes the baby's advent as natural and as simple as the blossoming of a flower. There is no opium, cocaine or other narcotic contained in "Favorite Prescription."

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ANNOUNCEMENT.

We are authorized to announce CARROLL FRIEWITZ, of the county of Montgomery, a candidate for State Senator in the 28th district, composed of the counties of Clark, Bourbon and Montgomery, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

THANKSGIVING DAY.

A long time ago the President of these United States said because of the great plenty in our garner as a yield from the earth, because of peace with all nations, because of freedom from pestilence, because of the favor of God in that he is converting the world, a day is set apart and shall be observed when thanks shall be rendered to Him from whom cometh all blessings, and the glad refrain was taken up by the Governors of the States and Mayors of the cities until a day of formal praise and thanksgiving was almost universal. Is it that way today? Is not the practice becoming obsolete? All told within our borders and on streets contiguous thereto, including our town's population, the colored people's towns, there are near 8,000 people in Mt. Sterling and to observe the thanksgiving day there were only about 200 people who assembled at the Baptist church to hear the thanksgiving sermon delivered by Rev. G. A. Joplin and to give alms for the poor, and of this number about one third were men. There were seven preachers, one carpenter, two wholesale merchants, three bankers, one dentist, two shoe-makers, one coal-merchant, one dentitione express agent, one farmer, two insurance agents, two publishers, some visitors and the rest were women. Are we a grateful people? A tree is judged by its fruit. A few weeks ago a defamer of the character of an innocent woman discussed here in pleasing terms the political differences, and at least 200 women and three times that many men gave him recognition. I say whether are we tending? Had we not better put the breaks on?

THE PEOPLE DEMAND.

In this issue is the announcement of our countryman, Caswell Prewitt, asking for the nomination for State Senator for this (28th) district. The people expect the newspapers to advise them of the character and ability of the men who ask their suffrage, and in giving the editor should be well informed and honest. A State Senator has a duty to perform. We look to him to repeal unjust enactments and for the creation of laws, the enforcement of which would redound to the interest of the greatest number. He should therefore be acquainted with our constitution and statutes, and then he should be generally informed and the possessor of a mind that can reason to a just conclusion that no interests may be preferred. In order to have such attainments it is not necessary to be a professional man. Some of our profoundest thinkers and best reasoners are men of toll, farmers, mechanics. Mr. Prewitt is a reading man, a thinking man, with courage to present a bill, the result of conscientiousness and reasoning. With the constitution he has lived in thought and concerning enactments he has an opinion of his own. For our future he has a mind, and to departments of life work he has given time, so that the laws to be repealed or enacted will be voted on by him knowing what is best. A farmer, their interests will be protected; a friend to the laborer he would see to it that their interests would be jeopardized. He is a man thoroughly equipped by nature and training for the position he asks. Now since he asks the nomination at the hands of the Democratic party, the question in these days of doubts is: Is he sound on doctrines. Ever a democrat loyal to his party platform, he is not the extreme puritan who does not like to others the right to think and act for themselves, but he is an uncompromising Democrat. He would be a candidate, therefore, upon whom all Democrats could agree, one who would be just not only to party, but all men, regardless of party, as well.

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To Mrs. Lizzie Ewing, daughter of D. M. Tamm, at Walker, Vernon county, Mo., a daughter—their first born.

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DEATHS.

DEATH.—Another of God's saints has died the frail robe of flesh and donned the habitation of glory. This true life is Mrs. Lulu B. Brown, who has been called home. Death came to her on Thursday night, Nov. 29, 1900, as a messenger of peace to release her from her pain and suffering and usher her into the land of the living. For many years an active member of the Baptist church of this city, and through the latter years a pillar of the same, she has gone to her reward. A congregation of relatives and friends gathered in the Baptist church Saturday morning where her pastor preached a most stirring sermon for sorrowing ones, after which her body was laid to rest in beautiful Maplewood until the resurrection of the just. To the bereaved and relatives, and friends our kindest sympathy is extended as we remind them that as at the northern pole the midnight sun sinks below the horizon only to dash up again in the dawn of a new day, so men and things that may live again. The grave holds for a little time, but comes to no rest. Jesus Christ is the soul's door into immortality.

Attention, Farmers.

See in this issue the advertisement of Owen Morris for Wednesday, December 12, of live stock, farming implements, household and kitchen furniture.  
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## He Loves Me—?

The dainty flower oracle may tell her true or false, but some day the price will come and she'll dream the dear dream of home life and motherhood. In that dream she will see herself always happy, with a smile for the husband and a kiss for the baby. What a pity to wake from such a dream—to find oneself alone and lonely, with no one to love and no one to love her. How many a woman has had this sad awakening from her dream of home and love! There's help and healing for every woman who suffers from womanly ills, caused by girlish ignorance, which brings the strain of maternity. Doctor Pierce's Favorite Prescription makes weak women strong and restores to them the health and vigor which they have lost. It is a God-send for women. When a laxative is needed, use Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets with "Favorite Prescription."

## Entertainment.

At the City High School in the room of Miss Mamie Turner Wednesday afternoon at 1 o'clock was held an open session of "The Freshman Literary Society." The room was artistically decorated with evergreens. There were a large number of appreciative visitors present. The first part of the program was given to a half hour with Byron, and the latter was devoted to two plays, entitled, "The Frog Hollow Lovers" and "The Chronophanauts."

This entertainment reflects credit both on Miss Mamie Turner, who had it in charge, and the pupils who were the characters in the performances.

## Cooper & Barnes

Since our last issue Mr. H. H. Barnes has bought an interest in the grocery recently purchased by J. Clay Cooper. He has had much experience in the business, is attentive, energetic and accommodating. We wish for the new firm much success.

H. R. French, Circuit Clerk, has employed Charlie Kirkpatrick as his deputy.

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## TOBACCO BARN BURNED.

Evidently the Work of an Incompetent diary.

On Friday morning between 3 and 4 o'clock the tobacco barn of Owen Jones, with all its contents, was consumed by fire. The loss above all insurance is fully \$1000. The barn cost \$1200 and was insured for \$1200 and was insured for \$800. All out-turning implements, harness and vehicles were burned. His father, Henry L. Jones, also lost his new stove. About 2000 pounds of tobacco had been shipped. There had been no fire in the barn before the destruction. It had some persons from the barn. The men there will regret the loss.

Mr. J. W. Groves has purchased the Roach property on Union street from Judge E. C. Orser for \$1400. The lot is an acre of ground with a good residence on it, and so located as to give room for another, which will be put up in the spring. The present house will be repaired, repainted and papered and be ready to be occupied within a very short time.

County Clerk W. B. O'Connell has recently made some fine improvements in the arrangements of his office which makes it more commodious for the business public. On January 1st he will inaugurate a system of double entry bookkeeping, relative to the financial affairs of the county, which will be in keeping with the high standard of excellence now in vogue in the management of the Clerk's office.

## Two Hotels.

Mr. Sterling, manager of the Baunton, took charge of the National on Sunday. The former will be run on the European plan. The Baunton has become very popular.

## For Sale.

Barred Plymouth Rock Cockerels, 50c each. Order early and get choice. Delivered in Mt. Sterling.

Mrs. JAMES CHAVES  
21-11  
Judy, Ky.

On Wednesday Mr. John, of the firm of Wheeler & Johns, received a message saying that his niece, Miss Dunn, had died near Riddles Mills. He attended the funeral.

Earl W. Seuff, receiver in bankruptcy for F. W. Bassett, reported he had realized the total sum of \$1537.22, which will possibly pay 30 cents on the dollar.

We have a full line of Ladies and Children's Underwear and Hosiery.

20-21 T. P. MARTIN & Co.

The firm of Hall & Hall, Morehead, Ky., on Saturday made deed of assignment to B. S. Wilson. Assets about \$1500; liabilities about \$1800.

McCormick & Burton have sold to Mrs. J. Davis Sewell the residence property purchased by them from Earl W. Seuff, trustee in bankruptcy of J. Davis Sewell.

## Lexington Dining Rooms.

MRS. LOUISA THOMPSON, Proprietress.

First class accommodations from 6 a. m. to 10 p. m.

Mt. Sterling trade especially solicited.

No. 5 East Main St.,  
LEXINGTON, KY.  
Near Street Car Central Station.

## To Whom It May Concern.

I take pleasure in saying to my patients and friends that Drs. H. G. Kellogg and Wilmot Reed are graduates from Kirksville. Mr. Dr. Kellogg is an older graduate than myself. Both of them have had considerable experience and stand high in the profession, and are moral, upright gentlemen. Owing to my heavy practice in Lexington I turn the work over to them in Mt. Sterling. They will be here all the time. I am sure they will give satisfaction. I hope all my patients and friends will give them their hearty support.

S. H. MORGAN,  
Osteopath.

When you have a lot of pumpkin seed which no other live stock can give them to your sheep. A flock of sheep will eat all the seeds from all the pumpkins you will split and place before them. They are fond of the seeds and they thrive on the diet.

We now have a full line of the (Erect Form) W. B. Corset in stock. Call see them.

20-21 T. P. MARTIN & Co.

## Chick's Coal Yard

Is headquarters for Mixed Cannel, Pure Cannel, Virginia and Kentucky Coals; also hauled hay and corn.

Phone 104 17 41

## For Sale.

Roger Hedden has a thoroughbred Jersey bull calf for sale. For particulars call at this office.

## Public Sale!

Having decided to remove to Mt. Sterling, I will, at my place four miles east of North Middletown, on

Wednesday, December 5, 1900,

At 10 o'clock a. m., expose to public sale the following:

- 1 Good Work Horse, bred to Jacks.
- 1 Weanling Colt.
- 1 Sow and Pig.
- 1 Good Milch Cow.
- 1 Yearling Steer.
- 2 Two-Year-Old Wagons.
- 80 Vows due to land 15 of February.
- 1 Disc Harrow.
- 1 Good Moving Machine.
- 1 Hay Frame.
- 1 Tobacco Frame.
- 1 Feed Sled.
- Plows and Gears, Hoes, Pitch Forks, 60 barrels picked corn in crib, and some fiddle, household and kitchen furniture.

Also will rent 65 acres of grass until March 1, 1901.

Terms made known on day of sale.

R. P. MOORE,  
North Middletown, Ky.  
W. H. FLETCHER, Auct.

# WE ARE Forced To Do It

## The Factory Shoe Store,

Cor. Main and Broadway, opp. the Masonic Temple.

Is forced by its creditors to raise \$5,000 by January 1, 1901.

And in Order to Do So We Have Decided to Close Our Entire Stock at

## 50 Cts. ON THE DOLLAR.

Our Stock Consists of the Finest Custom-made Ladies', Gents', Boys', Misses' and Children's

# SHOES

Which must positively be closed out by January 1, as we must have the money or be closed up by our creditors. Our reason for taking this course is to save our reputation among the wholesale district

THIS SALE WILL POSITIVELY COMMENCE

## SATURDAY, DEC. 8, 1900

And will continue until further notice. Remember the day and date, SATURDAY DECEMBER 8, corner Main and Broadway, opposite Masonic Temple, Mt. Sterling, Ky.

AMONG THE MANY BARGAINS YOU WILL FIND

Men's Heavy Boots worth \$2.50 Our price	1.24	Men's Dress Shoes worth \$2.00 Our price	98c	Women's Warm-lined Shoes worth \$2.00 Our price	98c
Men's Kip Boots worth \$1.00 Our price	1.48	Men's Fine Dress Shoes worth \$2.50 Our price	1.24	Ladies' Vici Kid—all style toes—worth \$5.50—Our price	1.48
Men's Custom-boots worth \$4.00 Our price	1.98	Men's Fine Hand-made Shoes in Vici Kid Leather worth \$4.50 Our price	1.98	Ladies' Fine Dress Shoes in French Kid and Vici, worth \$4.00 Our price	1.98
Men's Oil Grain Boots, every body's price \$5—Our price	2.48	Men's Fine Enamel Shoes—worth \$4.00 Our price	1.98	Ladies' Fine Hand-made Dress Shoes of the Finest Quality—worth \$5—Our price	2.48

And so on through the lines. You will find bargains after bargains. Nothing reserved, as everything must be sold to raise the money.

Remember, SATURDAY, DEC. 8, is the day.

## Factory Shoe Store,

Corner Main and Broadway, opp. Masonic Temple, MT. STERLING, KY.

H. D. MINCES, Manager.

# We Need Money! You Need the Clothes!

Men's Clothing from Strause Bros., Baltimore, Md.

Men's Clothing from Alfred Benjamin & Co

Men's Clothing from all the leading manufacturers in the United States.

## IN PLAIN WORDS:

RICHARD SHRYOCK has charge of our Tailoring Department, and it is needless to say he is Lexington's only cutter

REMEMBER, do not invest a dollar until you see our prices

We have too many goods. Costs and profits not considered. We offer for sale one of the most elegant stocks of Clothing in Kentucky at Prices unheard of.

## Men's Overcoats.

Our stock is not only the largest, but the most refined styles in Lexington. Our RAGLAN OVERCOAT, by Alfred Benjamin & Co., is the real thing. Our \$5 COVERT OVERCOAT, manufactured by Stone Bros., is a dandy. Other dealers ask \$8 for the same Overcoat.

BLACK BEAVER OVERCOATS at \$5.50. Other dealers ask \$10.

## Hats and Caps.

Full line, leading makes. Men's in all styles.

Full line of Caps, from 25c up.

## Boys' and Children's Clothing.

The largest stock of Boys' and Children's Suits and Overcoats in the city.

Our \$2 Boys' Suits, worth \$5.

Our \$2.50 Boys' Suits, worth \$5.50.

We sell the Newburgh Never-Slip Corduroy Pants, best in the world.

We have just received two hundred Boys' and Children's Overcoats, which we guarantee you a saving of 25 per cent.

## Underwear.

We carry a full line of American Hosiery, the standard line of America. We have them from 50c up to \$2.50 a garment. Full line of Boys' Underwear.

## Trunks and Valises.

We carry the largest stock of Trunks and Valises in Lexington, and our prices are the lowest.

## Shirt Department.

We sell Monarch Shirts, Star Shirts, Crown & Rosinmore, representing the best makes in the United States.

We will put on sale fifty dozen Shirts, regular price, \$1.50; our price 75c.

## Night Robes and Pajamas.

We only carry the celebrated Fannies Brand, the best in the world.

Night Shirts, see upward. They cost the same as inferior ones; why not have the best at same price.

Night Robes, Smoking Jackets, Bathing Robes—largest stock in the city.

# Louis & Gus Straus,

## LEXINGTON'S LEADING CLOTHIERS.





# Rheumatism.

Nobody knows all about it; and nothing, now known, will always cure it.

Doctors try Scott's Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil, when they think it is caused by imperfect digestion of food. You can do the same.

It may or may not be caused by the failure of stomach and bowels to do their work. If it is, you will cure it; if not, you will do no harm.

The way, to cure a disease is to stop its cause, and help the body get back to its habit of health.

When Scott's Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil does that, it cures; when it doesn't, it don't cure. It never does harm.

The genuine has this picture on it, take no other. If you have not tried it, send for free sample, its agreeable taste will surprise you.

SCOTT & BROWN, Chemists, 409 Pearl St., N. Y. 50c. and \$1.00; all druggists.

## CORRESPONDENCE.

### SIDEVIEW.

We have had a much needed rain, as water was getting scarce in this neighborhood.

Mrs. B. Brown and daughter, of Fleming county, who have been visiting Mrs. P. in left on Wednesday for Newport, to make that place their future home.

Miss Mary Anderson, Superintendent, visited the school here one day last week.

School closed at 1 p.m. on account of diphtheria.

### WADE'S MILL.

R. L. Bratton bought of M. L. Bratton 141 acres of land at \$500 per acre, and will erect a handsome residence in the early spring.

Geo. McAllister, of Mt. Sterling, spent Thanksgiving with L. B. Cockrell's son, Allen.

Mrs. H. L. Bratton was quite sick last week.

It is expected to one who has used Foley's Honey and Tar and knows what it will do to have a dealer recommend something else as "just the same" or "just as good." There is nothing "just as good" for colds, coughs, croup, laryngitis, etc.

Sold by F. C. Duxson, druggist.

The Court of Appeals has decided that the life policy held by a man must be paid by the company.

"I have always used Foley's Honey and Tar cough medicine, and think it the best in the world," says Clark, a dentist, a new dealer of Erie, Pa. Sold by F. C. Duxson, druggist.

Miss Mary O'Conner, daughter of the late Mayor Roger O'Conner, has taken the cap at the Academy of Our Lady of Angels, at Elmira, New York.—Kentuckian Citizen.

J. R. Lewis, ex-Postmaster at Ragland, Ky., was given eighteen months at hard labor in the Nashville penitentiary. He issued several \$100 money orders to himself.

### \$5 Reward.

Strayed or stolen from the court house wall court day, a roan mare, bridle and saddle. Mare is about 9 years old, 15 hands high, has black mane and tail and split hoofs. I will give \$5 for her return to me at Plum, Ky.

FRANK CHAVENS.

## U. S. Senator Davis Wanted to Live for His Country's Good.

United States Senator Cushman Kellogg Davis, Chairman of the Committee on Foreign Relations in the Senate, died at his home at St. Paul, Minn., on Tuesday evening after an illness of two months.

His last conscious utterance was the expression of a wish to live, not for the sake of life itself, but because he believed his country needed him. His words were: "Oh, that I might live five years more for my country's sake."

## Thought He Was Shooting a Burglar.

Gabe Smithers, of Fleming county, sixty years of age, was shot and instantly killed on Tuesday morning by a young son of William Goodman, at the latter's home. Goodman was to have killed hogs and Smithers was to help him. Very early, when Smithers came to the house and knocked on the door Goodman opened the door, and, seeing Smithers with a butcher knife in his hand, grabbed a shotgun and killed him before recognizing who he was.

## Dinner for 1000.

The Asylum at Lexington has one thousand patients. For their Thanksgiving dinner was purchased:

Seven hundred pounds of turkey.  
Two barrels of cranberries.  
Fifteen bushels of potatoes.  
Eighteen bushels of alfalfa.  
Three bushels of cabbage.  
Four bushels of apples.  
One hundred gallons of coffee.  
One hundred and twenty-five pounds of cheese.  
Five hundred loaves of bread.

## To Stop A Cold.

After exposure when you feel a cold coming on, take a dose of Foley's Honey and Tar. It never fails to stop a cold if taken in time. Take nothing else.

Sold by F. C. Duxson, druggist.

Mr. John Goodard, the champion shot of Fleming county, killed sixty-two quails in sixty-four shots.

## Stops the Cough and Works off the Cold.

Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets cure a cold in one day. No cure, no pay. Price 25 cents. 11-yr.

At Catlettsburg, Ky., Wednesday William Gibson killed his two-year old step daughter by running a red hot poker down her throat. Gibson then set fire to the building and made his escape.

## Wanted.

A gentleman has applied to me who wishes to rent a farm of 125 to 160 acres, must be improved and have to be built. Call at this office if you have a farm for rent. 14-ct

## Slung by a Wasp.

Miss Mary Herryman, a prominent young lady of Madison county, was stung on the hand by a wasp, and the pain was so excruciating that she became unconscious, and it was with difficulty that her life was saved.

G. W. Flanagan, the one price clothing merchant, of Winchester, made an assignment Tuesday to his father, Judge Flanagan. Judge Flanagan said the assignment was made because of George's confined ill health, and that the assets would be equal to the liabilities.

## Why This?

From 1880 to 1890, inclusive, the railroad mileage of Kentucky nearly doubled. To be exact, in 1880 we had in Kentucky 1,530 miles of railroad; in 1890, 3,000, and in 1900 the commission reports 3,654. In the past decade there has been constructed in Kentucky only 54 miles of railroad. Adverse legislation.

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SOLID TRAINS,

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INAUGURATED MAY 24.

THE SCHEDULE.

Lv. Cincinnati, 9:00 a.m. 9:15 p.m.

Ar. Toledo, 3:25 p.m. 3:55 p.m.

Ar. Detroit, 5:45 p.m. 6:15 a.m.

Through coaches and parlor cars on Pay Trips. Through coaches, Wagner sleeping cars Cincinnati to Toledo and Cincinnati to Detroit on night trains.

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Boston

And all Eastern Cities.

C. & O., Corrected Time Table.

WEST BOUND.

Lv. Mt. Sterling (accommodation) 5:30 a.m.

Ar. Mt. Sterling (accommodation) 7:15 a.m.

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## SOUTHERN RAILWAY.

GN. KENT. KY.

Seasonal Schedule in Effect May 20, 1898.

WEST BOUND.

Lv. Louisville 7:00 a.m. 7:45 a.m. 8:30 a.m.

Ar. Lexington 8:00 a.m. 8:45 a.m. 9:30 a.m.

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Lv. Lexington





# Baird's Hoarhound Cough Drops

—AT—  
**DUERSON'S Drug Store.**

Phone 120 No. 7 Court St

## PERSONAL.

Clifford Howell spent Thanksgiving at home.

H. R. Prewitt is in Frankfort on legal business.

Anderson Boggs returned to Centre College on Sunday.

E. M. Holmes, of Tarrant, was in town on yesterday.

Chenault Woodard was at home from Paris as week.

M. T. Hackey, of Frenchburg, was in town on Saturday.

Mrs. Ida Stover, of Bourbon, spent Sunday with Mr. Williams.

Mrs. Huldah Barnes is now at F. C. Collins, Colorado, box 507.

Miss Louisa Tabb spent Thanksgiving in Cincinnati with relatives.

Miss Nannie Highland was at home from Lexington Thanksgiving.

Miss Lottie Burbridge visited relatives at Sharpburg from Friday until Monday.

After a visit at Paris Mrs. L. E. Mann, of Morehead, returned home on Saturday.

J. H. Kehler, of Paris, was to guess at Parker Wood from Saturday until Monday.

M. M. Casiday went to Fleming county on yesterday to visit relatives and hunt birds.

Kirby Chickenshead and wife, of Winchester, spent Thursday with Mrs. Kate Brown.

J. W. Chas. sherry, of Winchester, interested in the telephone exchange, spent Sunday here.

Mrs. Seythe Ketur, who has been visiting her son, Mr. M. W. Coor, has returned home.

The Misses Thompson, of Bowling Green, Ky., are visiting relatives and friends in the county.

Miss Elizabeth Fricks, Dudley Samuels and Braxton Sutton spent Thanksgiving in Georgetown.

John O'Hara, from Kentucky Military Institute, London, Ky., spent Thanksgiving at home.

Misses Jennie Cox and Minnie Horton spent Thanksgiving with Miss Lizzie Cox, in Lexington.

Mrs. Thos. Whit, of Lexington, who visited her daughter, Mrs. Ford, returned home on Sunday.

Robert McConnell and wife, of Woodford county, spent some days with her mother, Mrs. Hawes Lane.

G. W. Hon and family, of Clay City, recently moved to Winchester and began house-keeping on Tuesday.

Mrs. C. B. Stephens and children visited Mrs. Stephens' grandfather, Mr. G. M. Hampton, at Morehead, last week.

Robt. Crooks has returned from Martinsville, Ind., where he went to see his wife. She has improved considerably.

Mrs. Henry R. Bright returned home Monday night, after a three weeks visit to friends and relatives at Danville and Stanford.

L. M. Clarke, of Dayton, O., spent Thursday with his father, R. W. H. D. Clark. He is now with E. L. Edwards, wholesale lumber dealer.

Mrs. Fannie Summers, Mrs. Spencer, of Georgetown, and Miss Llewellyn Cloud, of Lexington, formerly of this city, will spend the winter in California.

Mrs. M. F. Thompson, Miss McCauley and Miss Gay Thompson, of New Orleans, who have been spending the

summer and fall at Mrs. Ann E. Bear's left on last Thursday at home.

Misses Richardson, of South Carolina, and Hagerman, of Lexington, spent a few days with Miss Leola Prewitt. All are at Hamilton College.

Mrs. J. P. Darnell, wife and children and H. J. Darnell and sister, Miss Nellie, of Flemington, visited Mrs. Silas Stover and Mrs. B. F. Thompson last week.

Miss Mary Smith was at home from College from Thursday until Monday with her friends, Misses Blanche Laykin, of St. Paul, Minn., and Sally Overstreet, of Baltimore, Md.

Misses Emma and Clementine James were attractive young ladies, who for the past six weeks have been visiting relatives and friends in this and adjoining counties, left Monday for their home in Charleston, Ill. They are daughters of M. F. James, formerly of this county, and during their journey here were the recipients of many high compliments, and we

## SOCIAL EVENTS.

On Monday evening, the 26th. Messrs. El and Harvey Prewitt entertained Misses Harlan Apperson, Isabel Harris, Anna Brown and Messrs. Ed. Mitchell and Roy Turner. They feasted on birds killed by Virginia.

The Misses Nettie and Ethel attended on Thanksgiving in honor of Messrs. Will Calk, Bud Nesbitt and Misses Nell Tipton and Lucile Heiden. Miss Anna Nesbitt, who, as usual, looked very handsome, was "the Queen of the table," and presided with grace and ease.

An Old Nichols & Co.'s finest O-T-O-Ro Cream Cheese per pound 17, 3¢ per lb. for 50¢ regular price 20¢. Fancy Imported Macaroni per pkg. 12¢ (regular price 12½¢). Don't fail to call on us when buying groceries, for we always lead in quality and low cash prices.

J. Davis Sewell, Mgr.

See the elegant window display at Charlie Clothing Co.'s.

## THE SICK.

Mrs. J. T. Highland, while spending Thanksgiving with her mother, Mrs. Amanda Clay and family, was taken sick and on Sunday was unable to get home.

El Russell, of Clay City, son of Charles Russell, is seriously sick with consumption.

Mrs. Sibbie Over, mother of Judge E. C. Over, who was very ill last week, is now out of danger.

Miss Emma Wilkerson, who has been quite sick for the past week, was able to take charge of her school at Howard's Mill on Monday.

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Fred W. Bassett has accepted a position as salesman with T. K. Barnes & Sons.

## MARRIAGES.

### DELANEY-THOMPSON

Mr. Forde Delaney, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Delaney, and Miss Elizabeth Thompson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. H. Thompson, of near Pilot View, were married at the home of Mr. Delaney on the 28th. Rev. Mat Hart, of Lexington, pastor of Bethlehem church, officiated.

### CURRIEN-CHENAUET

We are in receipt of the marriage announcement of Miss Virginia, eldest daughter of Mrs. Emma L. Chenault, of Georgetown, to Miss Lm Corbin, of the same place. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. K. Newman, a life time friend of the family. Mrs. Cynthia Reed, grandmother of the bride, attended the wedding. Miss Chenault is handsome as well as attractive, brilliant and enterprising. We have known her since infancy. Have watched her development, and we are pleased to note the culmination of life by her becoming a man every way worthy the heart and hand of the noble, sweet spirited woman. Mr. Corbin is in the insurance and real estate business. After a short sojourn in eastern cities they will have a home in Georgetown. We are pleased to extend our most hearty congratulations.

### DYANT DALE

On last Wednesday, Nov. 28, in Paris, Mr. Wm. Bryant and Miss J. J. Dale, of the July neighborhood, were married at the Windsor Hotel, New York City. Miss Dale is a beautiful and cultured young lady and Mr. Bryant is formerly in securing such an excellent wife to share the sorrows and joys of life. After a two weeks visit at Carlisle and Milledgeburg they will be at home at Mr. W. H. Bryant's. Both are well known in this county and have many friends who wish them much happiness and prosperity.

### KANSLEY DALE

On Sunday morning at the residence of Rev. A. E. Canahan, at Gillett, Ed. Kansley and Miss Mattie Hall, both of Jeffersonville.

On Sunday evening at the 1st Pres. Church there was a union meeting in the interest of the Children's Home Society located at Louisville. Interesting talks were made by Messrs. Geo. Selmon, of Louisville, and R. E. O'Byrne, Supt. of Eastern District, Newport, Ky.

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